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APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	CONFIRMATION NO.
10/042,063	10/18/2001	Tadashi Nishiyama	SIW-017	3885

TITLE OF INVENTION: FUEL CELL STACK HAVING GROMMET WHICH COVERS EACH EDGE OF COMMUNICATING PASSAGES FORMED IN TERMINAL PLATE

APPLN. TYPE	SMALL ENTITY	ISSUE FEE	PUBLICATION FEE	TOTAL FEE(S) DUE	DATE DUE
nonprovisional	NO	\$1330	\$1400	\$300	\$1700

EXAMINER	ART UNIT	CLASS-SUBCLASS
DOVE, TRACY MAE	1745	429-035000

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		Application Number	10/042063-Conf. #3885
		Filing Date	October 18, 2001
		First Named Inventor	Tadashi NISHIYAMA
		Art Unit	1745
		Examiner Name	T. M. Dove
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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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1. BASIC FILING FEE

<u>Fee Description</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee Paid (\$)</u>
Utility Filing Fee	300	150	_____
Design/Design CPA Filing Fee	200	100	_____
Plant Filing Fee	200	100	_____
Reissue Filing Fee	300	150	_____
Provisional Filing Fee	200	100	_____

1a. ADDITIONAL FILING FEES

Utility Search Fee	500	250	_____
Design Search Fee	100	50	_____
Plant Search Fee	300	150	_____
Reissue Search Fee	500	250	_____
Utility Examination Fee	200	100	_____
Design Examination Fee	130	65	_____
Plant Examination Fee	160	80	_____
Reissue Examination Fee	600	300	_____
Application Size Fee, each add'l 50 sheets > 100 sheets	250	125	_____

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2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

<u>Fee Description</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Small Entity Fee (\$)</u>
Each claim over 20	50	25
Each independent claim over 3	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180
For Reissues, each claim over 20 and more than in the original patent	50	25
For Reissues, each independent claim more than in the original patent	200	100

<u>Total Claims</u>	- 20 =	<u>Extra Claims</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee Paid (\$)</u>
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<u>Indep. Claims</u>	- 3 =	<u>Extra Claims</u>	<u>Fee (\$)</u>	<u>Fee Paid (\$)</u>
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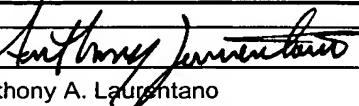
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2-month extension of time	450	225	_____
3-month extension of time	1020	510	_____
4-month extension of time	1,590	795	_____
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Information disclosure stmt. fee	180	180	_____
37 CFR 1.17(q) processing fee	50	50	_____
Non-English specification	130	130	_____
Notice of Appeal	500	250	_____
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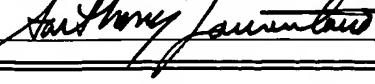
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